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In response to the Office Action mailed August 4, 2003, please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of generating a frame prototype image showing a picture image framed within a frame, the method comprising:

providing & frame image showing the frame in a perspective view, the frame image having a picture portion corresponding to the portion of the frame used to view a picture mounted in the frame; and

texture mapping the picture image to the picture portion of the frame image in order to generate the frame prototype image.

- 2. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising identifying a picture portion of the frame image.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 2, wherein identifying the picture portion of the frame image includes providing a mat identifying the picture portion of the frame image.